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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:) Examiner: B. Choobir
Kenneth Kump) Group Art Unit: 2625
Serial No.: 09/344,190)
Filed: 6/24/1999) <u>EV 435259423 US</u>) Express Mail Number
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING A DYNAMIC RANGE OF A DIGITAL MEDICAL IMAGE)) <u>June 3, 20()4</u>) Date))

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Dear Examiner Choobin:

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2004. The Amendment and Response was being timely submitted within the three-month date of May 17, 2004. The amendment is being re-submitted within the additional one month time period to correct the status identifier of claim 17 from "Previously Amended" to "Previously Presented." The Applicant respectfully requests that the following Amendments and Remarks be entered and considered.

<u>AMENDMENT</u>